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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

plicant: SAMAIN, Eric et al.

Title: METHOD FOR PRODUCING OLIGOPOLYSACCHARIDES

Appl. No.: 10/019,954

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Examiner: Rebecca E. Prouty

Art Unit: 1652

Confirmation Number: 6242

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

- 1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)
 - a. Enclosed are:

[X] Amendment/Reply.

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The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims resent		Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):							\$790.00	=	\$790.00
Total Claims:	44	-	46	= 0		x	\$50.00	=	\$0.00
Independents	3	-	3	= 0	•	x	\$200.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation o	f any	Multiple I	Depend	dent Claims:	+	\$360.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEE	E TOTAL:	=	\$790.00

[X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[X] Extension for response filed within the third month: \$1,020.00	\$1,020.00
EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:	\$1,020.00
EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -	\$120.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL	\$900.00
TOTAL FEE:	\$1,690.00

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$1,690.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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